on 25th August, 2005. Subsequently, the Central Government entrusted the preparation of the DPR of the aforesaid link to NWDA, which is planned to be completed by June, 2008.

(b) As per the relevant information published in the media (dated 8.2.07), the Hon'ble Minister stated that work on inter-linking of rivers was proceeding at "natural pace" and was not slow, as it was being perceived. Further, he stated that the Ministry was not bound by any time frame as the entire process of arriving at a decision involved a period of consultation with and consensus of the States that were concerned in the matter.

Ongoing Irrigation Projects in Bihar

1619. SHRI MOTIUR RAHMAN: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the ongoing irrigation projects in Bihar;

(b) the names of the projects dropped; and

(c) the names of the projects that have been left due to non-implementation?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAY PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) to (c) 11 Major, 8 Medium and 2ERM irrigation projects, which have spilled over from IX Plan to X Plan, are under execution in the State of Bihar. Out of the above mentioned ongoing projects, works of 3 major and 4 medium projects have been suspended by State Government during X Plan. Besides, 1 major, 1 medium and 5 ERM New irrigation projects are also under execution in the State of Bihar. The physical and financial details of these ongoing and new irrigation projects of Bihar are given in Statement.

Statement

Physical and financial details of ongoing and new irrigation projects in Bihar

(Rs. in Crore) (Potential in th. ha.)

Sl.	Name of Projects	District benefitted	Plan of Start	Approval Status	Estimated cost upto 3/06	Cum. Exp. for 2006-07	Outlay	Ultimate Pot. created 3/2006	Cum. Pot creation during 2006-07	Target of for comple-tion	Target Remarks
					Original	Latest					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
A	MAJOR PROJECTS												
1.	Western Kosi	Madhubani, Darbhanga, Samastipur	III	PC/1961	13.49	904.01	732.18	100.00	234.80	60.98	50.00	2009-10	Inter-national project with Nepal
2.*	Bagmati	Sitamarhi	V	PC/1970	5.78	153.73	36.74	0.00	101.60	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	
3.	Durgawati	Rohtas, Bhabua	V	PC/1975	25.30	379.04	290.00	91.00	17.45	0.00	0.00	2007-08	
4.	Barnar	Munger	V	PC/1975	8.03	216.22	79.65	0.40	25.40	0.00	0.00	2009-10	
5.	Bateshwarasthan Pump Ph.I	Bhagalpur	V	PC/1977	13.88	188.02	63.59	30.46	25.65	0.00	0.00	2009-10	
6.	Upper Kiul	Jamui	V	PC/1976	8.07	159.16	150.74	-	19.50	18.50	-	2007-08	
7.*	Kosi Eastern Canal Ph.II	Purnia, Saharsa, Katihar, Supaul	VII	UA		156.32	113.39	0.00	60.00	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
8.*	Gandak Ph.II	East & West , Champaran Siwan, Vaishali	VII	UA		578.27	115.88	-	236.00	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	
9.**	Bansagar (LS) Res. (Bihar share)	Bhojpur	V	PC/1978	91.31	351.91	339.56	-94.00 Th.ha towards stabilizing irrigation through old Sone Canal system2006-07					IS with UP & MP
10.#	North Koel	Palamu, Aurangabad, Gaya	V	TAC	439.00	1118.00	623.74	3.30	107.80	61.50	6.00	2009-10	I.S. with Jharkhand
11.#	Tilaiya Dhadhar diversion	Nawada, Gaya, Hazaribagh	V	TAC,	12.44	301.79	86.63	7.50	31.70	0.00	8.00	2007.08	I.S. with Jharkhand
				SUB TOTAL (A)	617.30	4506.47	2632.10	232.66	859.90	140.98	64.00		
B. MEDIUM PROJECTS													
1.*	Malai	Bhojpur	VII	UA		9.97	2.27	0.00	7.74	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	
2*	Bateshwarasthan Pump Ph. II	Bhagalpur	V	PC/1977	2.97	37.87	1.97	0.00	6.50	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	
3*	Dhakranalla Pump Ph. I	Munger	AP78-80	PC/1976	8.43	186.30	71.95		6.50	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	
4*	Dhakranalla Pump PH. II	Munger	VI	PC/1981	4.76	11.48	5.44*		4.02	0.00	0.00	*Beyond X Plan*	
5	Sindhwarni	Munger	VI	PC/1981	4.45	15.68	11.56	0.00	0.00			2008-09	
6*	Batane	Aurangabad, Palamu (Jharkhand)	V	PC/1974	4.01	57.00	44.32	10.00	9.87	7.38	0.00	2007-08	I.S. with Jharkhand
7	Laldaiya Causeway		IX	UA		3.90	3.47		—	—	—	X Plan	
8	Munhara Barrage		IX	UA		5.04	3.97		2.92	0.00		X Plan	
				SUB TOTAL (B)	24.62	327.24	144.95	10.00	46.93	7.38	0.00		

C ERM PROJECTS													
1	Sone Modernisation	Bhojpur, Rohtas	VII	P.C/1998	235.93	745.54	533.64	113.00	900.00	744.41	30.00	2007-08	
2	Jamania Pump canal scheme including LarNa Pump	Bhabua		UA		94.87	67.07	5.48	34.30	17.23	3.00	2007-08	I.S. with UP
				SUB TOTAL (C)	235.93	840.41	600.71	118.48	934.30	761.64	33.00		
				TOTAL (A+B+C)	877.85	5674.12	3377.76	361.14	1841.13	910.00	97.00		
II. NEW PROJECTS OF X PLAN													
A	MAJOR												
I	Punpun barrage scheme	Patna, Gaya, Johananbad	IX	PC/2006	102.26	224.82	12.22	52.60	13.68	0.00	0.00	2008-09	
B	MEDIUM												
I	Mandai weir scheme					42.98	0.22	0.50	3.35	0.00	0.00	2009-10	
C	ERM												
1	Kadwan Res. (Indrapuri Res.)	Palamu, Rohtas	VIII	UA		2000.00	9.71	15.00	200.00	0.00	0.00	2011-12	I.S. with Up & Jharkhand
2	Restoration of Eastern Gandak Canal system under Rashtriya Sam Vikas Yojana	East & West Champaran, Hazipur, Muzaffarpur	X	PC/2004	294.00	294.00	2.14	10.00	437.00	0.00	100.00	2009-10	

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
3	Restoration of Lower Kiul Irrigation Scheme	Jamui	X	UA		29.24	0.00	0.50	28.75	0.00	0.00	2008-09	
4	Restoration of Western Gandak Canal System	Siwan, Chapra, Gopalganj	X	UA		131.00	0.00	0.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	2011-12	
5	Restoration of Eastern Kosi Canal System		X	UA		105.00	0.00	0.00	105.00	0.00	0.00	2009-10	
					TOTAL II	396.26	2827.04	24.29	78.60	937.78	0.00	100.00	

* Work suspended by State Govt. during X Plan

Jharkhand as not shown this project in its X Plan document

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